

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **André FRANCISCO et al.**

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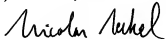
Sir:

Submitted herewith is a declaration and power of attorney for the above-identified application.

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